Church of Saint Clare

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> Fr. Stanley J. Klasinski, Pastor Fr. Joseph R. Brankatelli, Parochial Vicar Mrs. Lori Mascia, Pastoral Associate Daniel and Nancy Maier, Pastoral Musicians



Masses:

Saturday Vigil: 4:30 p.m.; Sunday 8:00 a.m.,

10:00 a.m., and 12:00 noon

Weekdays: 8:30 a.m.

Holy Day of Obligation Vigil: 4:30 p.m. Holy Day: 8:30 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.

Confessions:

Saturday: 3:30-4:00 p.m. or by appointment

Baptism:

First and third Sunday of the month at 1:00 p.m. Please contact the Business Office to make arrangements.

Marriage:

Arrangements must be made at least six months in advance. Initial contact is to be made directly with a priest of St. Clare.

Communion for the Sick and Shut-Ins:

We are most anxious that all who cannot get to Church be able to continue to receive the Eucharist. Please call the Business Office and a Eucharistic Minister will be provided.

Anointing of the Sick:

A priest will gladly come to your home by request to anoint the ill or aged. Anointing for hospital patients is provided by the hospital chaplain.

Sponsors:

Sponsor certificates are given to those who are registered parishioners, confirmed and practicing Catholics. Contact Business Office.

Registration:

Welcome! Please register in person at the Business Office.

Mass Intentions

Prior to Mass, Rosary and Divine Mercy 7:50 a.m. Come Join Us!

Tuesday, February 4

8:30 John and Adelmo Antonelli

Wednesday, February 5

8:30 Academy

Lucian (Mike Passarello)

9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. Adoration

12:00 - 1:00 Confessions

Saturday, February 8

4:30 John Kolenc

Sunday, February 9

8:00 Anthony and Ann lammarino

10:00 Our Parish Family

12:00 The Dailey Family

Saint Clare Calendar week of February 2

Monday, February 3

First Reconciliation and First Communion Parents Meeting 7 - 8:00 p.m. (HR)

Tuesday, February 4

Cenacle 9:00 a.m. (Ch)

OCIA 6:30 - 8:30 p.m. (HR)

Thursday, February 6

9:00 - 10:15 a.m. Avilas (Ch)



NEW FRIDAY OFFICE HOURS Starting February 21

Fridays: 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. Closing 1 hour earlier

Church of Saint Clare Telephone Directory: 440-449-4242

Business Office Lisa Gros, Business Administrator Parish Secretary Gayle Jameson, Office Assistant	113 101 115	Office of Faith Formation Lori Mascia, Pastoral Associate Brad Jasko, Administrative Assistant Parish Ministries	119 122
Fax: 440-646-9648 Rectory		St. Clare Outreach (Voicemail) Caregiver Support Youth Ministry	161 165 139
Fr. Stanley Klasinski Fr. Joseph Brankatelli Mass Schedule		Business Office and Chapel Hours Monday-Tuesday - 9:00 a.m5:00 p.m. Wednesday-Friday - 9:00 a.m4:00 p.m. Saturday - 9:00 a.m12:00 p.m.	

Presentation of the Lord



When the days were completed for their purification according to the law of Moses, Mary and Joseph took Jesus up to Jerusalem to present him to the Lord.

When they had fulfilled all the prescriptions of the law of the Lord, they returned to Galilee, to their own town of Nazareth.

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Regina Matthews, Secretary	118
Cara Mia Duncan	
Pre-K Director/Teacher	129
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Saint Clare Parish Mission Statement

Saint Clare Parish is a Roman Catholic community that cherishes its faith tradition, celebrates the sacraments, and cultivates lives of Gospel service and stewardship.

Readings for the Week of February 2, 2025

Monday Heb 11:32-40/Mk 5:1-20
Tuesday Heb 12:1-4/Mk 5:21-43
Wednesday Heb 12:4-7, 11-15/Mk 6:1-6
Thursday Heb 12:18-19, 21-24/Mk 6:7-13
Friday Heb 13:1-8/Mk 6:14-29

Saturday Heb 13:15-17, 20-21/Mk 6:30-34 Sunday Is 6:1-2a, 3-8/1 Cor 15:1-11/Lk 5:1-11

Pray for Our Sick

Elizabeth Bryson, Karen Cannon, Frank Casarona,
Joseph Casarona, Laurie Casarona, Margaret Clark,
Theresa Coffey, Mary Jane De Penti, Roger De Penti,
Darlene Dula, Elizabeth Ferenczi, Lillian Khas,
Rev. Stanley Klasinski, Tony LaVerde,
Carmella Mastandrea, Terrence Meins, Diane Minor,
Justin Montello, Bob Moravick, Karyn Nowak,
Rosemarie Paluckas, Alyssa Parino, Agnes Parsons,
Jodi Piscitello, Lauri Powaski, Lena Salvatore,
Virginia Schmitz, Bob Sheridan, Dorothy Skiba,
Regina Szabo, Arch Tunnell, Theresa Vodka,
Joseph Wentzel, Donna Zenobi



Pray for our faithful departed Cathy Peters



Saint Clare Parish Lenten Fish Fry!
March 7, 14, 21, 28, April 4 and 11
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Parish Support Capital Improvement Contributions Fiscal Year Beginning 07/01/2024 Year-to-Date through 12/31/2024 \$57,828.03 Goal for the Year \$90,000.00 Parish Support FOR WEEK OF THE January 19, 2025 WEEKLY OFFERTORY GOAL \$16,000.00 WEEKLY AVERAGE (29 Weeks) \$15,574.15 Weekly Envelope Offering 3,592.00 Online Weekly Offering 7,127.24 Fee Offset Donation - Weekly 93.56 Children's Offering \$ 9.00 Loose Checks \$ 180.00 Loose Cash 858.00 Total Weekly Offering \$ 11,859.80 Capital Improvement 245.00 Online Capital Improvement 515.00 Cap. Imp. Fee Offset Donation \$ 2.38 Saint Clare Community Outreach \$ 87.67 Thank you for your consistent giving!



What is the Anointing of the sick?

By the sacred anointing of the sick and the prayer of the priests, the whole Church commends those who are ill to the suffering and glorified Lord, that He may raise them up and save them.

Pray for These Priests and Seminarians

Sunday, February 2

Bishop Martin Amos Rev. David Stavarz Rev. John Paul Kuzma OFM Cap.

Monday, February 3

Bishop Roger W. Gries OSB Rev. Luigi C. Miola Gregory Hovan - St. Mary

Tuesday, February 4

Rev. Ralph E. Wiatrowski Rev. Robert J. Kropac William Martzaklis - St. Mary

Wednesday, February 5

Rev. Anthony F. Sejba Rev. Renard Lawrence OMI John Scantling - St. Mary

Thursday, February 6

Rev. George P. Varkey MSFS Rev. William G. Bouhall Connor Trout - St. Mary

Friday, February 7

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Rev. Dominic F. Gideon Rev. Donald M. Serva Christopher Villarreal - St. Mary

Saturday, February 8

Rev. Charles J. Chuwa Rev. Douglas H. Koesel Donald Bailey - St. Mary



The February meal calendar for Fr. Klasinski is available in the business office. Sign up to deliver a homemade meal or takeout from his favorite restaurants!

BE AN ANGEL!

Did you know the State of Ohio scholarship tax credit program makes a "no-net cost" donation possible that greatly benefits Corpus Christi Academy?

It's a Win-Win for:

- Donors to the Angel Scholarship Fund that may be eligible for a 1:1 state tax credit against their Ohio tax liability (up to \$750 for individuals or \$1,500 for married couples filing jointly, when both spouses contribute \$750); and
- Catholic school students K-12 that receive scholarships.

Two notes on the state tax credit:

- 1. The credit is applied against your Ohio tax liability. For clarification, your Ohio tax liability is the amount of taxes that you owe to the State of Ohio for the tax year (it is **not** based on the amount that you have to pay when you file your tax return). Therefore, even if you already anticipate receiving a refund due to overpayments during the year, your donation could increase the amount of your refund to the extent of your actual tax liability.
- 2. It is a nonrefundable credit, which means the amount of the state tax credit cannot exceed the amount of the Ohio tax liability.

Contact the ASF office for more information on how to "Be an Angel!"

216-902-1312 / asfinfo@catholiccommunity.org



Saints Clare and Paschal Baylon's Youth Group Questions? Please contact Mrs. Evamarie Cross, Director of Youth Ministry, at ecross@saintpaschaLcom.

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Marriage Enrichment Keynote Speakers:

- Kathleen and Troy Billings
- Nathan and Elizabeth Schlueter
- Fr. Ryan Mann

Sign up at MarriagesOfGrace.org/events Saturday, March 1, 2025, 12:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. Center for Pastoral Leadership | 28700 Euclid Ave, Wickliffe We hope you'll join us!

Breakout Sessions, Mass & Renewal of Vows, Adoration, Confession, Couple Time, Candlelit Dinner

Saint Clare Calendar Lottery

Return the calendar stubs with your donation in the collection basket during Mass, by mail, or drop off at the business office. Call or stop in the business office for additional tickets.

Proceeds go to the parish operating fund.

You can win more than once!

Prizes range from \$25 - \$200!

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Saint Clare Calendar Lottery

January 25 Steven Mailer	\$ 25	
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January 27 Janessa DiGeronimo	\$ 25	
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January 29 RoseLee Burrello	\$ 50	
January 30 Jim & Ellie Tuohey	\$ 25	
January 31 Erik Orange	\$ 25	
Congratulations to all of our Winners!		



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10:00 - 10:45 a.m. Rev. Joseph Brankatelli, Chaplain of the Cleveland Guild of the Catholic Medical Association: "Moral and Ethical Concerns with the Use of AI in Medicine: How Religious Moral Teachings Cautions in the Medical Community about Potential Challenges with AI"

WHO SHOULD ATTEND: Healthcare professionals and anyone interested in the ongoing healthcare changes.

Mass at 8:00 a.m. with Bishop Martin Amos Conference at 9:15 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

REGISTRATION FEE: \$45 (students free)

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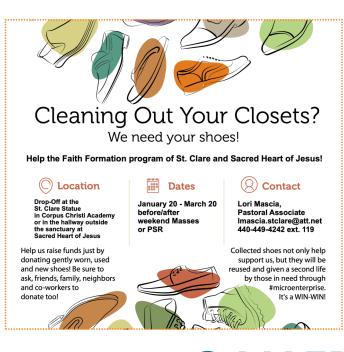
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Men of high school age and older will find inspiration and value in attending. The messages that you will hear apply to the single, married, divorced, widowed, active and inactive Christians and men of no or differing faith traditions. *Scan to Join Us!*





February 2, 2025
Feast of the Presentation of the Lord
Mal 3:1-4 | Heb 2:14-18 | Lk 2:22-40

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GROW AS A DISCIPLE | PRAY, STUDY, ENGAGE, SERVE

Mary and Joseph bring their 40-day-old infant Jesus to the temple in order to fulfill the Mosaic law. There, they are met by Simeon and Anna, the faithful prophets who have spent their lives waiting for the coming of the King of Glory. These many years of waiting were like the "refiner's fire" which the prophet Malachi describes in the first reading. Refined like gold by prayer and fasting, Simeon and Anna are prepared to meet their Lord. And in this moment, the Old and New Testaments meet and the fulfillment of the Old is foreseen. Imagine the splendor of the moment when they finally laid their eyes on this king of light and glory – the culmination of a lifetime of hope, prayer, and preparation. Overcome with peace and joy at seeing his Lord, Simeon declares, "Now, Master, you may let your servant go in peace," for he had seen the glory of God.

GO EVANGELIZE

PRAYER, INVITATION, WITNESS, ACCOMPANIMENT

Have you ever marveled at the beauty of a shiny, gold ring? Gold has long been regarded as one of earth's greatest treasures, yet the gold we admire today doesn't emerge in its pure, radiant form. To produce such beauty, gold must first undergo a process of intense refinement. A crude material is exposed to extreme heat to be melted and purified – until something of profound value emerges. Like gold, we, too, must be forged in fire to be made pure and holy. This is one way we can understand the prophet Malachi's words. The "fires" we experience in our lives are not without purpose – God is purifying us so that one day we may live with him in eternity. He isn't afraid of our "crude material"; rather, he gazes upon us with such intense love that our own beauty is revealed. As we undergo personal purification, let us stand in holy confidence like Simeon and Anna, witnessing to the truth that it is through the refiner's fire that we are brought to glory.

REFLECT

We can become discouraged, feeling that our prayers are unanswered or that a life devoted to Christ is too difficult. When these moments arise, consider the prophets Simeon and Anna, who gave their lives in quiet devotion, trusting in God's promises. Pray Simeon's canticle, meditating on the glorious gift we have been given in our salvation, and the promise that even in the darkest of days a bright and shining light awaits us.

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